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Kim Collins
999 E Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20463

Dear Ms. Collins,

The campaign committee Kansans for Huelskamp has received your notification of the complaint filed Mr. Brian Ellis of 504 West 37th St. in Hays, Kansas. This complaint alleges that our committee gave Mr. Ellis a bumper sticker that did not contain a disclaimer on the bottom of the sticker, and Mr. Ellis therefore alleges that our committee is in violation of Federal Election Commission 11 CFR sec 110.11.

In response to this claim, we maintain that our committee is completely within the bounds of Federal Election Commission (FEC) rules as they relate to this matter. While the bumper sticker that Mr. Ellis received does not contain a disclaimer, the FEC code 11 CFR 110.11(f) states explicitly that the disclaimer requirement does not apply in instances involving:

(i) Bumper stickers, pins, buttons, pens, and similar small items upon which the disclaimer cannot be conveniently printed;

Our committee has only printed a small amount of bumper stickers, and the cost of all printing and shipping was only around \$500. Our campaign committee is extremely careful to label all advertising with the proper disclaimers. If you would like to see copies of our radio, television, voter mail, and literature, we would be willing to provide that. Everything that requires a disclaimer according to FEC rules contains one.

We respectfully ask that you dismiss this complaint.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David Ray".

David Ray
Campaign Manager
Kansans for Huelskamp

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